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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2009		Docket Number (Optional) 20802/0205146-US0		
(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)				
Application Number 10/599,524-Conf. #1315		Filed September 29, 2006		
For ARTIFICIAL INTERVERTEBRAL DISK	,			
Art Unit 3733		Examiner	Y. Andrev	v
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(application.	a) to extend the peri	od for filing a reply in	the above ide	ntified
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):				
	<u>Fee</u>	Small Entity Fee		
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$130	\$65	\$	
X Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$490	\$245	\$	245.00
Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1110	\$555	\$	
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1730	\$865	\$	
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2350	\$1175	\$	
X Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 0	OFR 1.27.			
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assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).				
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